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Group Art Unit: 1616

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP 03/09269

Confirmation No.: 8661

FILED: AUGUST 21, 2003

FOR: COLORED GLOSS PIGMENTS HAVING AT
LEAST ONE COATING OF SIO₂, WITH X = 0.03
TO 0.95 FOR USE IN COSMETIC AND
PERSONAL CARE FORMULATIONS

U.S. APPLICATION NO: 10/524,457

35 USC 371 DATE: FEBRUARY 10, 2005

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RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is being filed responsive to the non-Final Office Action mailed on August 20, 2008. A petition for a one month extension of time is simultaneously applied for, making this response due on December 20, 2008. This paper is timely filed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee due, or credit any overcharge, as a result of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.